

Sen. Gary LeBeau Rep. Jeff Berger Member of the Commerce Committee Room 110, Capitol Building Hartford, CT 06106

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**URGENT and IMPORTANT** 

Dear Sirs:

I run a 50+ year old chemical related manufacturing business, headquartered in Connecticut. We employ hundreds of skilled, well compensated personnel. We have a sterling reputation for scrupulous attention to environmental and worker health and safety.

A proposed section of a proposed bill will do nothing to make Connecticut cleaner or safer, and everything to make it even less attractive for high quality employers.

This letter is to inform you of my opposition to subsection 1(b) of Raised House Bill No. 5343.

Please remove this subsection 1(b) from this bill before voting on whether to approve it.

Very truly yours,

David A. Rothberg Chairman and CEO

Cc:

Department of Energy and Environmental Protection

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